

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION Washington, DC 20463

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Kevin Coughlin 2101 Front Street, Suite 205 Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221

RE: MUR 5974 (New Summit Republicans)

Dear Mr. Coughlin:

On February 22, 2008, the Federal Election Commission notified you of a complaint alleging that the New Summit Republicans violated certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. A copy of the complaint was forwarded to you at that time.

Upon further review of the allegations contained in the complaint, and information supplied by you, the Commission, on March 4, 2009, dismissed this matter in an exercise of prosecutorial discretion. See Heckler v. Chaney, 470 U.S. 821 (1985). A Statement of Reasons providing a basis for the Commission's decision will follow.

The file in this matter is now closed. Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

If you have any questions, please contact Michael A. Columbo, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Mark Allen

Assistant General Counsel